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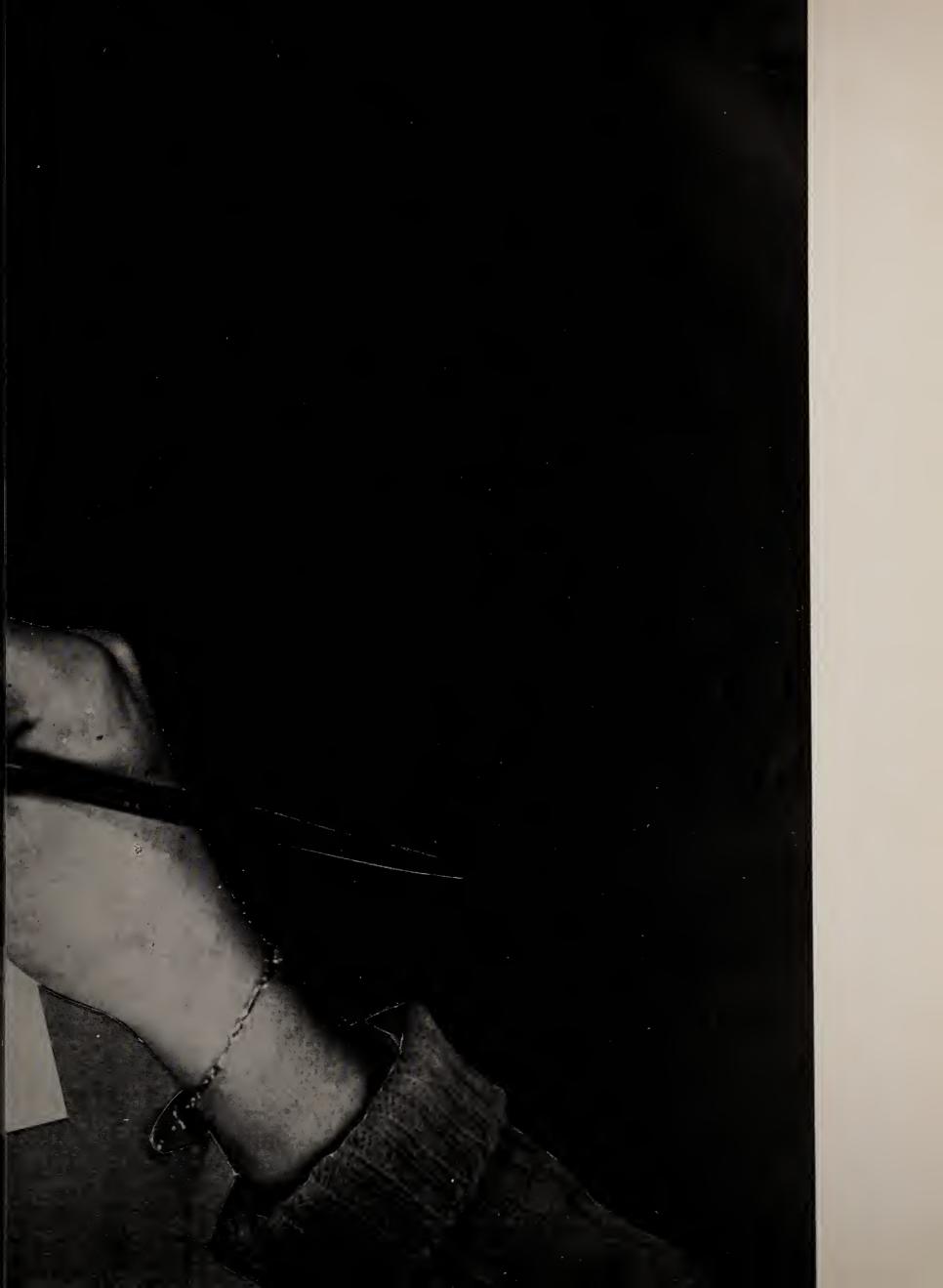
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Book I ENTER TO LEARN

As we leave this place of knowledge To enter the Army or enroll in a college, We pause to think for just a minute Of all those people who helped us while in it. Miss Ella in Kindergarten gave us our start, Then we learned reading and numbers by heart, Not much of the Lincoln can we now remember Except a vacation at the end of December. In the Garfield we learned English, history, and math. And struggled along a difficult path. Freshmen, at last. Ah! The end is in sight, But such teachers and studies! We never seem right, Our importance as Sophomores increased a year later As our loyalty increased to our dear "alma mater", We were Juniors at last and prepared for the fun Of being the Seniors in 221. Four years of chemistry, speech, trigonometry, English and history, Latin, geometry, Typing, science, algebra, civics, Shorthand, biology, Spanish, and physics. These partly absorbed as we entered to learn Now going to serve is our present concern.



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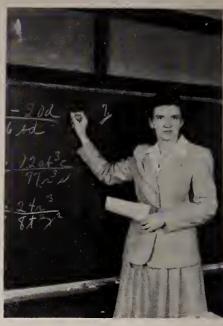
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CARL ABELL
"Abe"
Hobby: My Buick
Merit Roll: '41, '42; Football: '42,
'43, '44; Baseball: '44; F.F.A.:
'41, '42, Treasurer '43.



RICHARD ALSPACH
"Dick"
Hobby: Sports
Merit Roll: '41, '43, '44; Football: '43, '44; Baseball: '42, '43, '44;
Athletic Night: '41, '42.



MARY BACZUK
"Buzz"

Hobby: Coming to school on
time every day.
G. R.: '42; Girls' Glee Club: '42;
G. A. A.: '42.



PATRICIA BECKA
"Pat"
Hobby: Talking
Merit Roll: '41, '42, '43; Band:
'42, '43, '44; Orchestra: '43, '44.



DENNIS MILLER
"Denny
Hobby: Driving truck
Basketball, '43; Athletic Night,
'43; High School Play, '42; Operetta, '41; Boys' Glee Club, '41,
'42, '43.



BETTY GENE KENYON
"Blondie"
Hobby: Most anything
Merit Roll, '43; Girls' Glee Club,
'43; G. A. A., '42; Baccalaureate
Chorus, '43,



BETTY MORSE
"Peanut"
Hobby: Collecting buttons
Merit Roll, '42, '43; Honor Roll,
41; Band, '43, '44; Annual Staff,
'43; G. A. A., '43; First Aid Detachment, '44; Home Nursing, '43;
First Aid, '42, '43.



WILLIAM MYERS
"Bill snuff bucket"
Hobby: Messin' around
Merit Roll, '41, '42; Annual Staff,
'43, Assistant Advertising Manager; Medinamite Staff, '42; Hi-Y,
'41, '42, '43, '44; F. F. A., '41, '42.

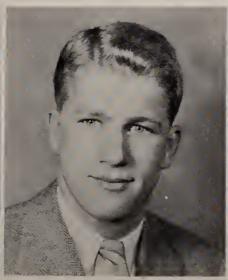


FRANCES MAPLE

"Fran"

Hobby: Singing

Honor Roll, '43; Merit Roll, '41, '42; Annual Staff, '43; Medinamite
Staff, '43; Band, '41, '42, '43, '44;
Girl Reserves, '41, '42, '43; Spanish Club, '44; Girls' Glee Club, '41, '42, '43, '44; G. A. A., '42;
Baccalaureate Chorus, '41, '42, '43, '44; Special Girls' Chorus, '44;
First Aid Detachment, '44; Home
Nursing, '43; First Aid, '42, '43.



HOWARD HUNTER
"How"
Hobby: Sports
Medinamite Staff, '44; Football,
'44; Hi-Y, '41, '43, '44, President
'42; F. F. A., '41, '42, President
'43; Boys' Glee Club, '41, '42, '43,
'44; Student Council, '42, '43,
Mixed Chorus, '42, '43, '44; Baccalaureate Chorus, '42, '43, '44;
Concert, '43, '44; Senior Vice
President, '44.



GRACE HUNTLEY
Hobby: Collecting cartoons for the boys in Service
Merit Roll, '41, '43; Girl Reserves, '41; Girls' Hockey Team, '41, '42; Girls' Glee Club, '42, '43, '44; G. A. A., '41, '42, '43; Music Concert, '43, '44; Junior Bowling Team, '43; Baccalaureate Chorus, '42, '43, '44.



CAROL SPENCER

"Bug Ears"

Hobby: Cutting up with Helen and Jeannette

Merit Roll, '42; Medinamite Staff, '42, '43; Band Majorette, '43, '44; Basketball, '41, '42; Athletic Night, '41; High School Play, '42, '43; Girl Reserves, '41, '42, '43, '44; Operetta, '41; Girls' Glee Club, '41, '44; G. A. A., '41, '42; Senior Drill Team, '44; First Aid, '42; Music Concerts, '43, '44; One Act Plays, '43.



ERMA FEW

''Lucky''

Hobby: All sports

High School Play, '43; Girls' Glee
Club, '41, '44; Girls' F. F. A

President, '42 and '43.



WESLEY KEMP
"Wes"
Hobby: Women
Medinamite Staff, '42; Football,
'43, '44; Basketball, '41, '42, '43,
'44; Baseball, '42 Manager; Hi-Y,
'41, '42, '43, '44.



DONALD KING
"Don"

Merit Roll, '42, '43; Honor Roll,
'41; Annual Staff, '43; Medinamite Staff, '42, '43; Football, '44;
Hi-Y, '42, '43, '44; F. F. A., '41,
'42; Boys' Glee Club, '42.



WINIFRED JUDKINS

"Jud"

Hobby: Flying, reading, sports
Honor Roll, '41, '42, '43; Girls'
Baseball Team, '41; Girl Reserves,
'43; Spanish Club, '43; Girls' Glee
Club, '41; G. A. A., '43, '44.



"Gusti"
Hobby: An Army sergeant
Merit Roll, '41, '42; Girl Reserves,
'41, '42, '44; Girls' Glee Club,
'41, '42, '43, '44; G. A. A., '41,
'42; Home Nursing, '43; Baccalaureate Chorus, '41, '42, '43; First
Aid, '42, '43, '44; Drill Team, '44;
Christmas Play Chorus, '42, '43;
Fall Concert, '44.

LORNA RYAN



FRANCES STAFINSKI
"Frankie"
Hobby: Collecting baseball
player's pictures
Litchfield, '41, '42; Medina, '43;
Medinamite Staff, '44; Girls'
F. F. A., '43.



BETTY QUINTON
"B. Q."

Hobby: Collecting everything
Honor Roll, '41, '42, '43; Annual
Staff, '43; Band, '43, '44; High
School Plays, '43, '44; G. A. A.,
'42, '43; G. L. C., '42; First Aid,
'42, '43, President, '44; Home
Nursing, '43; Spring Concert, '43,
'44.



PATRICIA SHELTON
"Bag Ears"
Hobby: Sports in general
Emerson, '41; Lakewood, '41;
Medina, '42; Merit Roll, '43;
Basketball, '42, '43, '44; Girl Reserves, Interclub Council, '42,
Sec't, '43; Student Council Sec't.,
'44; G. A. A., '42, '43, President
'44; G. L. C., Sec't., '43, '44; Girls
Drill Team, '44.



TRESA GORFIDO

"Tres"

Hobby: Skating

Athletic Night, '42; Girl Reserve,
'42, '43, '44; Senior Cheer Leaders, '41, '42, '43, '44; G. A. A., '42,
Treasurer '43, Secretary '44;
G. L. C. Treasurer '43, President
'44; Bull's Eye Club, '42, '43;
Girls' Basketball, '41, '42, '43, '44;
All Star Team, '42, '43, '44.



CORWIN RICKARD

"Cork"

Hobby: Car trouble

Merit Roll, '41, '42; Medinamite
Staff, '41, '42; Football Manager,
'42; Athletic Night, '41; Hi-Y, '41,
'42, Sec't. and Treasurer, '43, '44;
Spanish Club, '43; Boys' Glee
Club, '43; Student Council Vice
President, '44; '43 Class Vice
President; '44 Class President.



RICHARD HIGDON

"Dick"

Hobby: Scuttlebutt

Merit Roll, '42, '43; Football, '43, '44; Baseball, '42, '43; Athletic Night, '42; Hi-Y, '42, '43, '44; Spanish Club, '43; Boys' Glee Club, '43, '44; Student Council, '43, '44; Jr. Class President; '43; Football; Captain; '44.



GERALD JAMEYSON
"Stud"
Hobby: Trips to Michigan
Merit Roll, '42, '43; Honor Roll,
'41; Football, '41, '42, '43, '44;
Basketball, '41, '42, '43, '44;
Baseball, '41, '42, '43, '44; Athletic Night, '41, '42, '43; Student
Council, '44; Freshman Class
President, '41; Football Co-Captain, '44.



MARIAN KOLKE "Cookie"
Hobby: Making puzzles and talking
Girl Reserves, '41, '42; Girls' Glee
Club, '41, '42, '43; Girls' F. F. A.,
Sec't., '43.



JOAN FRIEDT ''Jo'' Hobby: Dancing and writing letters Merit Roll, '42; Medinamite Staff,



DOROTHY HENNIGER "Dot" Hobby: Reading
Merit Roll, '41, '42; Medinamite
Staff, '44; G. R., '41, '42; G. A. A.,
'43; Girls' F. F. A., '43.



MARY LOU SMITH "Butch"
Hobby: Cleveland
Merit Roll, '41, '42, '43; Girl Reserves, '41, '42, '43, '44; G. A., '42, '43.



JEANNETTE HARRINGTON "Janie" Hobby: Having fun with Carol Hobby: Having tun with Carol and Helen
Merit Roll, '41, '42; Orchestra, '41, '42, '43, '44; Band, '41, '42, '43, '44; G. R. '41, '42, '43, '44; Girls'
Glee Club, '42, '43; Home Nursing, '43; Majorette, '43, '44; Christman mas Play, '43.



DORIS MADISON "Dolly"
Hobby: Having a good time
Merit Roll, '41, '42; Honor Roll,
'43; Athletic Night, '41, '42; Girl
Reserves, '41, '42, '43, '44; Spanish Club, '43, '44; Girls' Glee
Club, '41, '42, '43, '44; G. A. A.,
'43, '44.



JANE DE GROAT "Janie"
Hobby: Reading
Annual Staff, '43; Medinamite
Staff, '43; Athletic Night, '42; Girl
Reserves, Vice President '42, '43;
Debate, '43; Student Council, '42,
'43; G. A. A., '43; Spanish Club
President, '42.



BETTY FROST "Frosty" Hobby: Talking
Merit Roll, '41, '42, '43; Medinamite Staff, '43; Majorette, '43, '44:
Girl Reserves, '44; Spanish Club. '42, Social Chairman '43; Senior Drill Team, '44; Baccalaureate Chorus, '41.



MARJORIE HICKLING MARJORIE HICKLING

"Margie"

Hobby: Waiting
G. R., '43, '44; High School Play,
'43; Girls' Glee Club, '43; Student
Council, '43; G. A. A., '43, '44;
Music Concert, '43; Baccalaureate
Chorus, '43; Sr. Drill Corps, '44;
Warren, Ohio, '41, '42, '43.



HELEN HALLOCK "Hopey" Hobby: Cutting up with Carol

Hobby: Cutting up with Carol and Jeannette
Merit Roll, '41, '42, '43; Annual Staff, '43; Medinamite Staff, '41, '42, '43, '44; Interclass Basketball, '41, '42; Athletic Night, '41, '42; G. R., '41, '42, '43, '44; High School Play, '43; Operetta, '41; Girls' Glee Club, '41, '44; G. A. A., '41, '42; Senior Drill Team, '44; Special Girls' Chorus, '44; First Aid, '42; Music Concerts, '43, '44; Drum Major, '44; Majorette, '42, '43.



SARA KINDIG "Sally" Hobby: Getting news for "Medinamite" "Medinamite"
Merit Roll, '42, '43, '44; Honor Roll, '41; Annual Staff, Advertising Manager, '43; Medinamite Staff, '44; Feature Editor; Orchestra, '41, '42, '43, '44; G. A. A., '42; First Aid, '42, '43, Sec't., '44; Concerts, '42, '44; Home Nursing, '43; Community Orchestra, '44. '43; Community Orchestra, '44.



"Midge"
Hobby: Drawing to amuse people
Merit Roll, '41; Annual Staff, '43;
Girl Reserves, '41, '42, '43, '44;
Medinamite Staff, '43, '44; Girls'
Hockey Team, '41, '42; Girls' Glee
Club, '43, '44; G. A. A., '41, '42,
'43; Bull's Eye Club, '42, '43; Sr.
Drill Team, '44; Baccalaureate
Chorus, '43, '44; First Aid, '42;
Music Concert, '43, '44; Bowling
Team, '43. "Midge"

HELEN MIDGLEY



MILTON BRINE F. F. A.: '41, '42, '43, '44.



ROBERT SCHILLING Football, '41, '44; Athletic Night



RUTH CANFIELD ''Red'' Hobby: Receiving letters York School: '41.



JAMES CROMBIE "Gus" Band: '44; Boys' Glee Club: '44; Elyria High School: '41, '42, '43.



GEORGE BUCKLEY "Buck" Hobby: Airplanes Merit Roll: '41, '42; Hi-Y: '41, '42,



EVELYN SEBEK "Butch" Hobby: Saving greeting cards Merit Roll, '41, '42, '43; Athletic Night, '41.



ANNA SESTAN "Ann" Hobby: Collecting pictures Medinamite Staff, '44; First Aid, '42, '43, '44; Home Nursing, '43.



NORMA JEAN SHIREY
"Shirey"
Hobby: Baseball
Baseball, '43; Girls' F. F. A., '42,
'43; Home Nursing, '43.



GLORIA HOUSTON "Grandma"

"Grandma"
Hobby: Crafts, music, sports
Merit Roll, '41, '42, '43; Music
Award, '43; Annual Staff, '43;
Medinamite Staff, '41, '42, '43;
Orchestra, '41, '42, '43, '44; Band,
'41, '42, '43, '44; Senior Drill '41, '42, '43, '44; Senior Drill Team, '44; All Star Drill General, '44; Girl Reserves, '41, '42, '43, '44; String Quartet, '43; Spanish Club, '43; Inter Club Council, '44; Field Hockey, '42; Girls' Glee Club, '41, '42, '43, '44; One Act Plays, '43, '44; G. A. A., '42, '43, '44; G. L. C., '43, '44; Bull's Eye Club, '42, President '43; Girls' F. F. A., '41; All Star Basketball, '42, '43, '44; Special Chorus, '44; Baccalaureate Chorus, '41, '42, '43, '44; First Aid, '42, '43, '44; Home Nursing, '43.



HOPE HUFFMAN

HOPE HUFFMAN

Hobby: Music

Honor Roll, '41, '42, '43, '44; Annual Staff, '43; Medinamite Staff, '41, '42, '43; Orchestra, '41, '42, '43, '44; Band, '41, '42, '43, '44; Swing Band, '44; Music Award, '43; Athletic Night, '41, '42; Girl '43; Athletic Night, '41, '42; Girl Reserves, '42, '43, President, '44; Baccalaureate Chorus, '41, '42, '43; Spanish Club, '43; Girls' Glee Club, '41, '42, '43, '44; Student Council, '44; G. A. A., '42, '43, '44; G. L. C., '43, '44; All Star Basketball, '43; Captain—Basketball Team, '44; All Star Drill Team, '44; Music Concert, '41, '42, '43, '44; Inter-Club Council, '44; Special Chorus, '44; First Aid, '43; Home Nursing, '43; Sr. Drill Team, '44; Sr. Class Secretary; Jr. Class Treasurer. Jr. Class Treasurer.



CORINNE KEEFER "Corky"

Hobby: Sports
Prince of Peace, '44; Home Nursing, '43; Merit Roll, '41, '42, '43, '44; Cafeteria, '44; All Star Drill Team, '44; Girl Reserves, '41, '42, Team, '44; Girl Reserves, '41, '42, '43, '44; Sr. Class Drill Team, '44; High School Play, '42, '43, '44; Spanish Club, '44; Girls' Glee Club, '41, '42, '43, '44; G. A. A., '43, '44; G. L. C., '43, '44; Bull's Eye Club, '42, '43; Special Girls' Chorus, '44; Bowling Team, '44; Girls' Class Basketball Team, '44; Baccalaureate Chorus, '41, '42, '43, '44, Music Concerts, '43, '44, '44, Music Concerts, '44, M Baccalaureate Chorus, '41, '42, '43, '44; Music Concerts, '43, '44; First Aid, '42; Spanish Club Vice President, '44; Bull's Eye Club Sec't., '43; Girl Reserves Cabinet.



CONSTANCE RAY HALDERSON "Connie"

"Connie"
Hobby: Music
Merit Roll, '41, '42, '43, '44; Scholarship Test, '42, '43; Annual Staff, '43; Medinamite Staff, '41, '42; Orchestra, '41, '42, '43, '44; Band, '41, '42, '43, Business Manager '44; Music Concerts, '41, '42, '43, '44; Athletic Night, '41, '42; G. R., '41, '42, '43, '44; Inter-Club Council, '42, '43, '44; High School Plays, '41, '42, '43, '44; Spanish Club, '42, '43; Girls' Glee Club, '41, '42, '43, 44; Special Girls' Chorus, '44; Baccalaureate Chorus, '41, '42, Baccalaureate Chorus, '41, '42, '43, '44; First Aid, '43; Home Nursing, '44; Religious Education,



SARAH DAVIS
"Sally"
Hobby: Painting
Wadsworth, '41; Student Council,
'40, '41; Debate Team, '40.



ROBERT DILLON "Bob" Hobby: Radio Sandusky, '41, '42, '43.



DONALD GORDON
"Buck"
Hobby: Fishing



ALBERT GUTHRIE
"Al"
Hobby: Radio electronics
Newark High, '42; Shore High,
'43; Annual Staff, '44; Hi-Y, '44.



ROBERT HIGH
"Bob"
Hobby: Model "A"
Merit Roll, '41, '42; Football
Manager, '41; Athletic Night, '41;
Hi-Y, '41, '42, '43, '44.



HELEN HITZELBERGER
"Hitzie"
Hobby: Having fun
Baseball, '41; Girls' Glee 'Club,
'43; Mixed Chorus, '43; Litchfield,
'41, '42.



ELIZABETH HORVATH

''Liz''

Hobby: Drawing

Merit Roll, '42, '43; Honor Roll,
'41; G. R., '41; G. A. A., '42, '43;
First Aid Detachment, '44; Home
Nursing, '43; First Aid, '42, '43,
'44.



DONALD GERSPACHER
"Don"
Hobby: Playing trumpet
Band, '41, '42, '43, '44; Athletic
Night, '41, '42; Hi-Y, '41, '42, '43;
Boys' Glee Club, '44.



JOYCE EVANS

"Joycie," "June"

Hobby: Tearing around

Merit Roll, '41, '42; Annual Staff, '43; Medinamite Staff, '41, '42, '44;

Athletic Night, '41; Girl Reserves, '41, Treasurer '42, '43, '44; High School Play, '43; Spanish Club Secretary, '43; Girls' Glee Club, '41, '43, Secretary '44; G. A. A. '41, '42, '43, '44; Baccalaureate Chorus, '43, '44; Special Girls' Chorus, '44; Girls' Bowling Team, '44; Senior Drill Corps, '44; H. S. Concerts, '43, '44; Cafeteria Waitress, '44.



JANE LOSE

"Louse"

Hobby: Writin' letters;
Medinamite

Merit Roll, '42, '43; Honor Roll,
'41; Annual Staff Salesman, '43;
Medinamite Staff, '41, '42, '43,
Editor, '44; Orchestra, '41, '42, '43,
'44; Band, '41, '42, '43, Treasurer,
'44; Girl Reserves, '41, '42, '43,
44; High School Plays, '42, '43,
'44; Spanish Club, '43, President,
'44; Girls' Glee Club, '41, '42; Student Council, '44; G.A.A., '42, '43;
Bull's Eye Club, '42, '43; Music Concerts, '41, '42, '43, '44; Clarinet Quartet, '43; Scholarship Tosts, '41, '42, '43, '44; First Aid, '42; Prince of Peace, '44.



ROSEMARY PIERCE

"Rosie"

Hobby: Singing

Merit Roll, '43; Honor Roll, '41,
'42; Annual Staff, '43, Associate
Editor; Girl Reserves, '41, '42,
President, '43, '44; Girls' Glee
Club, '41, '42, '43, '44, Vice President; Student Council, '42; G. L.
C., '43, '44; G. A. A., '44; Special
Girls' Chorus, '44; Baccalaureate
Chorus, '41, '42, '43, '44; Music
Concerts, '43, '44; First Aid, '42,
'43, '44; Home Nursing, '43; Sr.
Drill Team, '44; All Star Drill
Team, '44; Inter-Club Council, '43.



BARBARA GIBBS
"Butch"
Hobby: Writing to a Seabee
Merit Roll, '42, '43; Honor Roll,
'41; Annual Staff, '43; Medinamite Staff, '42; Girl Reserves, '41,
'42, '43, Cabinet '44; High School
Play, '44; Junior Cheer Leaders,
'41; Girls' Glee Club, '41, '42,
'43, '44; G. A. A., '42, '43, '44;
G. L. C. Treasurer, '43, '44; Girls'
All Star Basketball Captain '43;
Girls' Class Basketball, '43, '44;
Music Concert, '43, '44; Special
Chorus, '44; Bowling Team, '42;
Baccalaureate Chorus, '42, '43,
'44; Drill Team, '44; All Star Drill
Team, '44.



JACK SCHWARZ

"Sweets"
Hobby: Sports
Huntington High School, W. Va.
Medina Football, '42, '43, '44;
Basketball, '42, '43, '44; Hi-Y, '42,
'43, '44; Boys' Glee Club, 42, '43,
'44; Student Council, '44; Treasurer and Representative of Senior Class, '44.



DOROTHY HARDY

"Dot"

Hobby: Singing

Merit Roll, '41; Basketball, '41,
'42, '43, '44; G. R., '44; High
School Play, '43; Girls' Glee Club,
'42, '43, '44; G. A. A., '43; Baccalaureate Chorus, '43, '44; Bowling
Team, '43, '44.



HELEN IRENE DERRICK
"Dutch"
Hobby: Collecting dolls and
stuffed animals
Merit Roll, '41, '42; Athletic Night,
'41; Girl Reserves, '41, '42, '43;
G. A. A., '41, '42, '43, '44; Chorus,
'41; State Test Latin I, '41, Latin
II, '42; Class Treasurer, '42.



JEAN DAVIS
"GeeGee"

Hobby: Hooking gear shift knobs
Honor Roll: '41, '42, '43; Orchestra: '41, '42, '43; Band: '41, '42, '43; Athletic Night: '41, '42; Girl
Reserves: '41, '42, '44; Spanish
Club: '43; Girls' Glee Club: '41, '42, '43; 1942 Concert.



HELEN CLARK
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Hobby: Music
Merit Roll: '42; Honor Roll: '41;
Medinamite Staff: '44; Orchestra: '41, '42, '43, '44; Band: '41, '42, '43, '44; Girl Reserves: '41, '42, '43, '44; Girls' Glee Club: '41, '42, '43, '44; Girls' A Cappella Chorus: '44; Baccalaureate Chorus: '41, '42, '43, '44; Music Concert: '43, '44; First Aid: '42, '43.



MARILYN NETTLETON
"Mary"
Hobby: Music, dreaming
Merit Roll, '42, '43, '44; Honor
Roll, '41; Girl Reserves, '41, '42,
'44; Girls' Glee Club, '41, '42, '43,
'44; G. A. A., '41; Baccalaureate
Chorus, '41, '42, '43, '44; Music
Festival, '43, '44; Drill Team, '43,
'44; Home Nursing, '43; Standard
First Aid, '42.



FRED CHANDLER
"Buck"

Hobby: Trying to get the most out of a '31 Ford.

Orchestra: '42, '43, '44; Band: '41, '42, '43, '44; Athletic Night: '43; Hi-Y: '41, '42, '43, '44; Junior Cheer Leaders; '41; Senior Cheer Leaders: '42; Boys' Glee Club: '41, '42, '43, '44; Student Council: '43.



BETTE DAVIS
"B. J."
Hobby: Just knockin' around
Medinamite Staff: '44; Girls' Glee
Club: '41, '42; G. A. A.: '42, '43,
'44; G. L. C.: '43, '44; Girls'
F. F. A.: '41; Class Basketball:
'41, '42, '43, '44; All Star Bowling:
'43; Baccalaureate Chorus: '42;
Bowling Team: '41, '42, '43, '44;
All Star Drill Team: '44.



EUGENE MEYERS
"Gene"
Hobby: Working
Orchestra, '41; Band, '41, '42, '43,
'44; F. F. A., '41, '42, '43, '44.



RONALD J. PETELKA Hobby: Radio-Meteorology Merit Roîl, '41, '44.



BETTY NEEL
Hobby: Cooking and sewing
'41, '42, '43, Kingsport, Tenn.



MAX EAKEN
"Guttie"
Hobby: Sports, music, hunting
Band, '41; Athletic Night, '41;
Hi-Y, '41, '42, '43, '44.



LEO WILCOX "Willy" Hobby: Messing around Kent State U., '42; Baccalaureate Chorus, '41.



BETTY MARIE TINKEY "Bets" Hobby: Collecting programs from parties and concerts
Ashland, '41, '42; Medina, '43;
Merit Roll, '43; Orchestra, '44;
Spanish Club, '44.



OLIVIA VIJOLE "Livie" Hobby: Fooling around and dancing
Lincoln High School, '41, '42, '43;
Medina, '44; Medinamite Staff,
'44; Girls' Glee Club, '44; Music Concert, '44; Baccalaureate Chorus, '44; Class Basketball, '44.



NORRIS WELTON "Snorge" Hobby: Building radios Athletic Night, '41, '42.



ZANE TALBOTT "S. H." Hobby: Perfume bottles and Hobby: Perfume bottles and dancing
Medinamite Staff, '42, '43; Athletic Night, '41, '42; Girl Reserves, '41, '42, '43, '44; Spanish Club, '42, '43; Girls' Glee Club, '41, '42, '43, '44; G. A. A., 42, '43, '44; G. L. C., '43, '44; Bull's Eye Club, '43; Special Girls' Chorus, '44; Class Basketball Team, '43, '44; Music Concerts, '43, '44; Bowling Team Captain, '43, '44; Baccalaureate Chorus, '42, '43, '44; All-Star Drill Team, '44.



VIRGINIA WILKEY
"Ginny"
Hobby: 'Most anything
Merit Roll, '41, '43, '44; Medinamite Staff, '44; Girls' Glee Club, '41; Bull's Eye Club, '42, '43;
First Aid, '42, '43, '44; Home Nursing, '43.



EDITH MORRIS

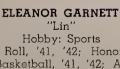
"Edie"

Hobby: Whistling

Merit Roll, '42, '43, '44; Annual
Staff, '43; Medinamite Staff, '44;
Girls' Hockey Team, '41; Girls'
Glee Club, '41, '42, '43; Sr. Drill
Team, '44; Home Nursing, '43;
First Aid, '42, '43; First Aid Detachment, '44.



RALPH WAITE "Pesty" Hobby: Working or loafin' at Schmidt Bros. Texaco Station Merit Roll, '42; Annual Staff, '43; Merit Roll, '42; Annual Staff, '43; Medinami'e Staff, '42, '44; Orchestra, '42, '43, '44; Band, '41, '42, '43, '44; Basketball Manager, '42; Baseball, '41, '42; Athletic Night, '41, '42, '43; Hi-Y, '41, '42, '43, '44; Spanish Club, '44; Boys' Glee Club, '44; Buckeye Boys' State, '43; Commencement Orchestra, '43, '44; Clarinet Quartet, '43; tra, '43, '44; Clarinet Quartet, '43; Music Festival, '42, '43, '44; Class Chaplain, '43, '44.



Hobby: Sports Merit Roll, '41, '42; Honor Roll, '43; Basketball, '41, '42; Athletic '43; Basketball, '41, '42; Athletic Night, '41, '42; Girl Reserves, V. Pres., '41, Treasurer, '42; High School Play, '41; Operetta, '41; Girls' Hockey Team, '41; Girls' Glee Club, '41, '42, '43; G. A. A., '42, '43; G. L. C., '42, '43; Secretary and Treasurer, '41, '42.



Eleanor Lucille Garnett was born January 29, 1926. Eleanor was very active in sports and other activities in the school. She had a very pleasing personality and was liked by all.

Eleanor was ill one month to her death, February 9, 1943. She died of an unknown disease.

SCHOLARSHIP

12 Highest in Scholarship as of September, 1943 in order.

BETTY QUINTON HOPE HUFFMAN FRANCES MAPLE ELIZABETH HORVATH WINIFRED JUDKINS ROSEMARY PIERCE JANE DE GROAT BARBARA GIBBS BETTY MORSE JANE LOSE JEAN DAVIS SARA KINDIG



WILL OF CLASS OF 1944

We, the Class of 1944, of Medina High School of Medina County and the State of Ohio do set forth this, our last will and testament, hereby revoking all other wills made by us heretofore.

First—Our will is that all expenses of cremation and burial services be taken care of as soon as possible after our decease.

Second—We bequeath in our turn as follows:

GENERAL DISPOSALS

To the Juniors,

We would like to leave Room No. 221, and the **so called** "Senior Privileges," which we were supposed to receive but, since we didn't receive, we can not leave. So Sorry.

To the other under classmen,

We give the secret of our original method of skipping school. No need to leave this to the Juniors.

We return our badly torn and much used textbooks. We hope that in the years to come other senior classes may not be so faulty.

To Jack and his assistants,

We give the paper which we have used to write this Will. We assure him that the quantity will help keep the school nice and warm.

INDIVIDUAL DISPOSALS

Carl Abell—gives up his title of "Chief Wolf of Buckeye Boys" State" to any junior boy who isn't afraid to appear before the Dean of the school every morning for being out after hours.

Richard Alspach—wills his place in baseball's Hall of Fame to David Shane.

Mary Baczuk-offers her cooking talents to Lois Krause.

Patricia Becka—passes on her position in the drum section of the Band to any person who can attend the practice at noon.

Milton Brine—wills his "Olds" to Joe Neff on condition that Joe **keeps** the car running at high rates of speed.

George Buckley—bequeaths his ways with the women to Robert Dague.

Ruth Canfield—gives Miss Schrock back her paints and easel.

Buck Chandler—donates one slightly-used 1929 Model "A" Ford coupe to George Shaw to be used exclusively with "T" stamps.

Helen Clark—passes on her ability to participate in all musical organizations to any student who has the time.

James Crombie—wills his "well"-groomed hair to Duane Cogswell on condition that Duane always keeps plenty of hair-nets on hand to keep the hair out of his face.

Bette Davis—lends 2 slightly-used flashlight batteries to Sally Kaszian.

Jean Davis—bestows the honor of working for Mr. Fenn to any freshman who just can't stand the study halls.

Sally Davis—wills her standing bus trip every morning to any person occupying a comfortable, overstuffed chair in his first period class.

Jane DeGroat—leaves her appreciation for Art to John Burris.

Irene Derrick—wills her streamlined profile to Lou Schoenberger.

Robert Dillon—leaves his afternoon job at Firestone to Claribelle Auker on condition that Claribelle comes straight home from

Max Eakens—deeds one slightly-used physics book to Harry Aylard provided that Harry keeps the dust off the cover.

Joyce Evans—says that what little she has left she had better take with her.

Erma Few—quietly presents to Betty Baker her high position in the social world.

Joan Friedt—bestows her ability to keep from skipping classes to Regina Gunkleman.

Betty Frost and Barbara Gibbs—will to any two loyal Juniors the privilege to spend their entire senior year being faithful to two, big, wonderful, handsome Sailors.

Don Gerspacher—wills his liking for blondes to Harold Casey.

Tresa Gorfido—grants the honor of being head cheerleader to the person that can yell the loudest.

Albert Guthrie—gives up his collection of loud ties to any junior who likes to attract the women.

Connie Halderson—hereby bequeaths to any flat-headed sophomore the amazing (?) ability to wear her specs on her cranium.

P. S. If the Sophomore would rather wear his own specs on his own cranuim, it would be much better for both parties conconcerned. (Catch?)

Helen Hallock—wills her position as Drum Major of the band to any one who has the patience to take it.

Dorothy Hardy—wills her "hold" on the boys to the numerous Junior Wolfisis,

Jeannette Harrington—leaves the pleasure of **having** to wear her majorettes costume to the band concerts to any girl who doesn't know what it is like to have all the wolves barking at her.

Dorothy Henniger—wills her seat in journalism class to someone who likes journalism.

Marjorie Hickling—would simply love to leave something to "Will" but as yet she hasn't had the pleasure of making his acquaintance.

Dick Higdon—gives his job of facing the assembly every week to anyone having a good supply of nerve pills.

Bob High—wills his ability to run a Model "A" on almost any type of fuel, including legal "A" stamps, to any person who can use said ability to good advantage.

Helen Hitzelberger—deeds her blonde hair to Miss Baesel.

Elizabeth Horvath—donates her free sodas and candy from her father's store, to the lucky person who can make it up to the "Candy Kitchen" first after reading this will.

Gloria Houston—leaves her ability of uncovering the middle names of students from Mr. Fenn's files to anyone interested. See Gloria.

Hope Huffman—bequeaths the art of playing the piano to Sue Kirkham, on condition that Sue plays nothing hotter than the "Blue Danube."

Howard Hunter—wills his liking for brunettes to Dick Harrington. Grace Huntley—out of kindness of heart, grants her ability in Latin to Roland Page.

Jerry Jameyson—hands over the job of captaincy of next year's football team to "Whitey" Weber provided that the team beats Wadsworth and Clearview.

Winifred Judkins—lends her grade card to Johnny Burris.

Corinne Keefer—wills her ability to get out of English class for a whole week at a time to anyone taking English.

Wesley Kemp—is giving his "34" Studebaker to David Hyde to go to Wadsworth,

Betty Kenyon—offers her vocal ability to Junior McComas.

Sara Kindig—Gives her ability to skip classes to Ann Indoe.

Don King—gives up his football suit to the future star of M. H. S. sports, Stanley Bradway.

Marian Kolke — relinquishes her slimness of form to Marilyn Beekman.

Jane Lose—offers her job as editor of the "Medinamite" to anyone in next year's journalism class.

Doris Madison—leaves her love for sailors to Myrtle Hutchins. (P. S. By request of J. Burris since Johnny is thinking of joining the navy.)

Frances Maple—passes on her chair in the baritone section to any long-winded person, who doesn't mind falling off the back of the platform.

Eugene Meyers—wills his seat in No. 221 to a "desired" sopho-

Helen Midgley—extends her ability to change hairdoes to Virginia Wheeler.

Dennis Miller—lends a slightly dilapidated "37" Plymouth to Duane Hamlin for transportation to the Jr.-Sr.

Edith Morris—leaves a cupboard full of badly-blackened pots and pans to Miss Wright.

Betty Morse—gives up her job of collecting attendance slips to any person who just loves to walk into Mr. Claggett's Math. class completely disturbing everyone from a sound slumber.

William Myers and Marilyn Nettleton—present an example of perfectly-balanced appreciation to Betty Schultz and Roland Page.

Betty Neel—leaves her southern accent to Judy Ryan who already has a slight one.

Roland Petelka and Norris Welton—bestow their radio knowledge to those two wizards, Dick Hazen and Harold Holderidge.

Rosemary Pierce—bequeaths one beautifully-trained voice to Dick (Sinatra) Gemeser.

Betty Quinton—wills her skill of squeaking during the concerts to Harold Holdridge.

Corky Rickard—hereby wills his place (if any) in Miss Phillip's heart to the future historian, David Riegger.

Lorna Ryan—gives her dateless evenings to her sister.

Bob Schilling—grants his football knowledge to Johnny Beck.

Jack Schwarz—deeds his **great** ability to "skip" and **always** get caught by Mr. Linn to some unlucky person.

Evelyn Sebek—leaves her seat on the schoolbus to any poor little fellow just starting the four-year grind.

Anna Sestan—wills her quietness to "Didy" Maple.

Pat Shelton—bequeaths her "jitterbugging" steps to Clare House, provided that Clare doesn't jitterbug too much with those **Wadsworth** girls.

Norma Jean Shirey—gives up the privilege of staying out of school to Janice Gordon.

Mary L. Smith—gladly turns over her civics book to the chairman of the waste-paper drive.

Carol Spencer—bequeaths her dainty ears to anyone who wants them. (P. S.) Particularly fine for small sailboats.

Frances Stafinski—has decided that she likes her sewing too well to part with it.

Zane Talbott—gives her way of flirting with the boys and getting away with it to Joy Huffman.

Betty Tinkey—hands out her wedding ring to Clem Caddlehopper for Daisy June.

Olivia Vijole—wills her overalls to Chuck Higdon.

Ralph Waite—generously bequeaths his **favorite** pin-up girl to some great lover of art—preferably Whitey Weber.

Leo Wilcox—passes on his mechanical ability for Fords to Harold Johnson.

Virginia Wilkey—wills her job as librarian to any Junior who is interested in books.

We truly believe that the above requests were made according to all wishes of the Senior Class, and so, in witness whereof, we hereunto set our hand and seal to this document on this day of our Lord, January tenth, one thousand nine hundred and forty-four.

Signed: Senior Class Ralph Waite Bill Myers



CORKY RICKARD AND HIS FAVORITE PIN-UP GIRL

IUNIORS







FIRST ROW: Donald Casey, Duane Cogswell, Aquilla Barna, Pete Gorfido, Charles Clark, Walter Grosser, Tony Fettler, Harry Aylard, Louis Frazier.

SECOND ROW: Don Gordon, Bob Dague, John Burris, Vencil Bohaty, Rudy Blataric, John Egner, Richard Bates, Leon French, John Beck.

THIRD ROW: Marilyn Beekman, Ruth Biggins, Betty Boyd, Faith Flynn, Winifred Denton, Arlene Brenstuhl, Shirley Gardner, Jean Barrow, Barbara Davis, Patty Dunn.

OFFICERS OF JUNIOR CLASS

President	David Hyde
Vice President	John Burris
Secretary and Treasurer	.David Riegger
Student Council	.Myron Maple

JUNIORS





TOP PICTURE:
FIRST ROW: Wallace Hawker, Duane Hamlin, Maynard Johnson, Lois Krause, Richard Hazen, Myron Maple, Richard Harrington.
SECOND ROW: David Hyde, Loren Hadlock, Richard Kisner, Charles Higdon, Herbert Hach, Bernard Jones, Harold Holdridge.
THIRD ROW: Virginia Higgins, Ann Indoe, Jean Kern, Regina Gunkleman, Doris Haumesser, Peggy King, Joy Huffman.

BOTTOM PICTURE:
FIRST ROW: Dorothy Hood, Olive Morrison, Mary Lou Miller, Loretta Wallace, Margaret Stefan, Blanche Minto, Doreen Roshon, Olive Shaw, Myrtle Hutchins.
SECOND ROW: David Riegger, Mike Sviatko, Henry Spice, Neil Whitfield, Duane Weber, Reade Shooke, Russell West, Don Selzer.
THIRD ROW: Martha Miller, Clarice Woodruff, Virginia Wheeler, Nancy Wyman, Ethel Medley, Barbara Woodward, Betty Miller, Sylvia Wagner.





OFFICERS OF SOPHOMORE CLASS

SOPHOMORES





TOP PICTURE:
FIRST ROW: Betty Baker, Henry Bucey, Emily Chizmarik, Lois Anderson, Annabelle Applegate, Edward Baker, Harold Casey, Coletta

Beshire.
SECOND ROW: Betty Mae Colburn, Don Brophy, Maynard Bauer, Jack
Barry, Stanley Bradway, Walter Brantner, Bill Alexander, Joan
Christian.

THIRD ROW: Malcolm Bricker, Billie Danes, Claribelle Auker, Jean Crombie, Margaret Anderson, Marilou Doswell, Hatty Bohl, Steve Dohanyos.

BOTTOM PICTURE:
FIRST ROW: Clark Hill, Dick Gensemer, Irene Hardy, Marvin Hall, Bob Hinkel, Pat Hepner, Bernadean Hellinger, Charles Gardner, Esther Fetzer.
SECOND ROW: Erwin Henschel, Troy Fields, Carl Fulling, Bob Eaken, Doug Hanshue, Henry Hewitt, Ed Hach, Tom Doyle, James Hess.
THIRD ROW: Patricia Hayes, Barbara Haumesser, Janice Gordon, Eva Fettler, Pat Gibbs, John Hathaway, Joan Dunn, June Eby, Rosemary Fisher.

SOPHOMORES





TOP PICTURE:
FIRST ROW: Roland Page, Helen Martin, Jane Lovejoy, Jean Jackson, Nancy Nichols, Delores Laurenz, Marilyn Kenyon, James Navratil, Patricia Patton.
SECOND ROW: Vernon Rogers, Reinhardt Keiper, Howard Moore, Harold Johnson, Junior McComas, Frank Redeman, Andrew Klimko, Allan Reinhardt, Elmer Petelka.
THIRD ROW: Barbara Hollond, Irene Puie, Phyllis McCollom, Dorothy Jackson, Florence Kaszian, Valerie Pyecroft. Katherine Papenhausen, Fay Roshon, Elizabeth Pope.

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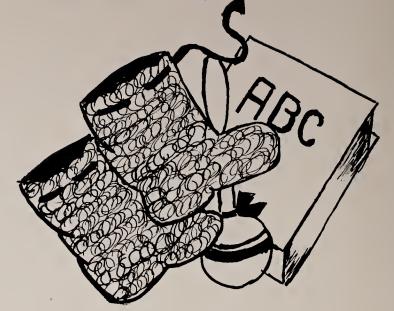
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SECOND ROW: Robert Wright, Earl Schoenberger, Ralph White, Neal Shanafelt, Bennett Wilson, Stanley Zaborskis, Dean Rowe.

THIRD ROW: Judy Ryan, Betty Schultz, Rosella Yeager, Phyllis Seymour, David Wirkner, Joyce Smith, Sally Lou Vance, Agnes Wagner, Janice Waite.

FRESHMAN







OFFICERS OF FRESHMEN CLASS

FIRST ROW: Steve Chizmarik, Donald Applegate, Marian Flynn, Adeline Frantz, Virginia Dague, Helen Barsic, Richard Blewitt, Reuben Barna, Ronald Collins.

SECOND ROW: Garneta Bond, Harvey Brine, Lloyd Gallop, Clifford Brine, Mary Jane Fanta, Laura Beat, George Brock, Helen Garnett, Lois Abell.

THIRD ROW: DeForest Denman, Donna Brubaker, Doreen Cogswell, Joe Campbell, Newton Davis, Beverly Garver, Violet Baich, Betty Dohanyos, Theodore Cook.

FRESHMAN





TOP PICTURE:
FIRST ROW: Delores Mellert, Dorothy Hamilton, Margaret Halblaub, Mary Jane Haumesser, Pat Holden, Lois Kaufman, Betty Jane Hamer, Helen Harvey, Arlayne Jones, Margaret Kaszian.
SECOND ROW: Martha Judkins, John Kiefer, Garvin Hooven, Harold Grosser, Merritt Jones, John Kraus, Jacob Keiper, Richard Miller, Marybelle Johnson, Sue Kirkham.
THIRD ROW: Delores Messenger, Lucy Lawrence, Dick Killinger, Darrell Maddox, Norman Gilsdorf, Marilyn Harrington, Earl Koppes, Ruth Butler, Mary Lou Inman, Gertrude Klein.

BOTTOM PICTURE: FIRST ROW: Hazel Neff, Jane Wilson, Hedy Steidly, Shirley Schwarz, Ila Williams, Barbara Ridiker, Elizabeth Stafinski, Eleanor Pritchard, Shirley Sprankle.

SECOND ROW: Joe Szrenkanyi, Chester Ring, Frank Poor, Edward Oravecz, Bob Spencer, Richard Reinhardt, James Siman.

THIRD ROW: Lois Wertz, Edwin Rickard, Alice Jean Stefan, Esther Ring, David Shane, Joy Spies, Dick Phillips, Genevieve Wass.



Watch Out, Pin Boy!



Well, That's One Way, Pals



Lace 'Em Good and Tight, Girls



That Innocent Look! Are You Boys Kidding?



New Teachers, Sept. 1943



Beware! Fisher and Cook at Work



Watch Where You're Going, Pat



Hard At Work?



Frankie & His Body Guards

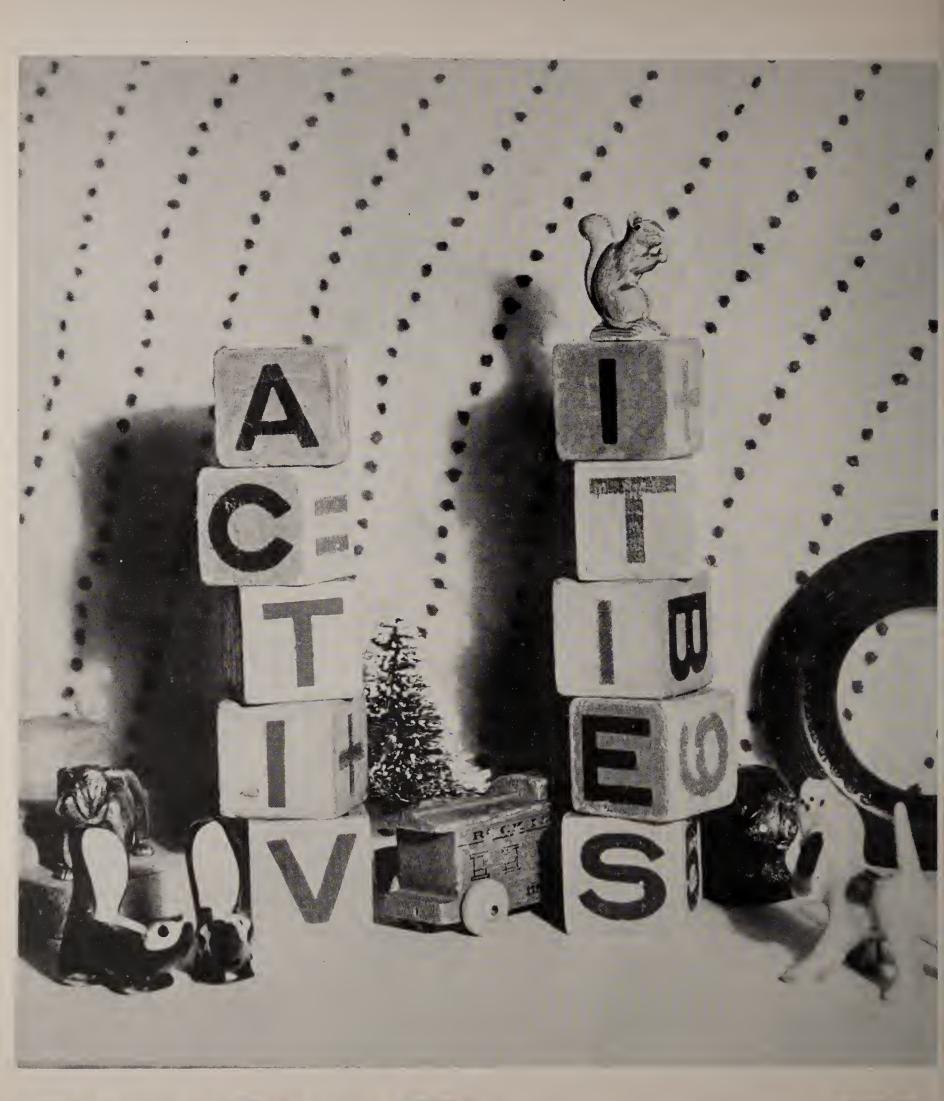




Kitchen Patrol

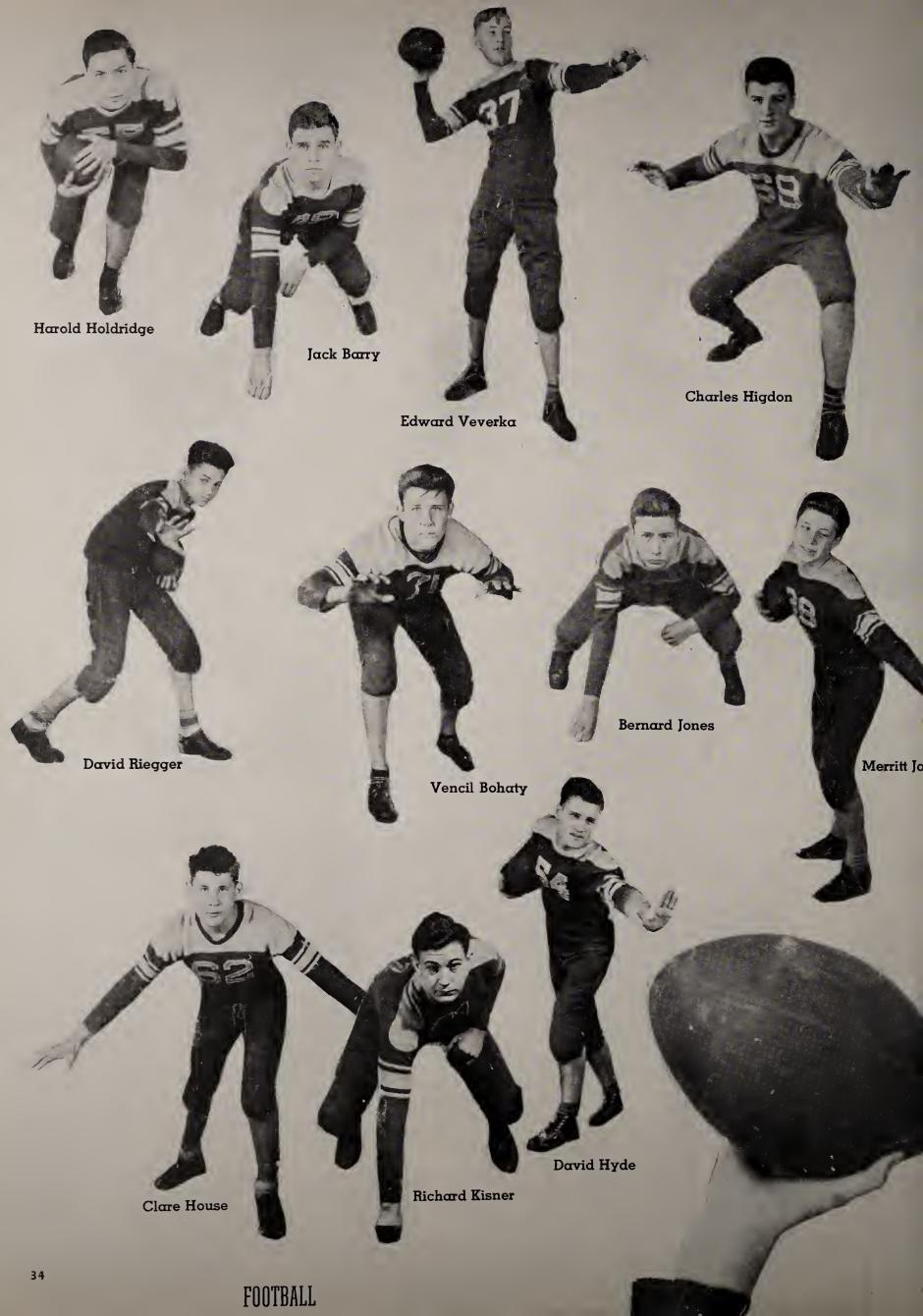


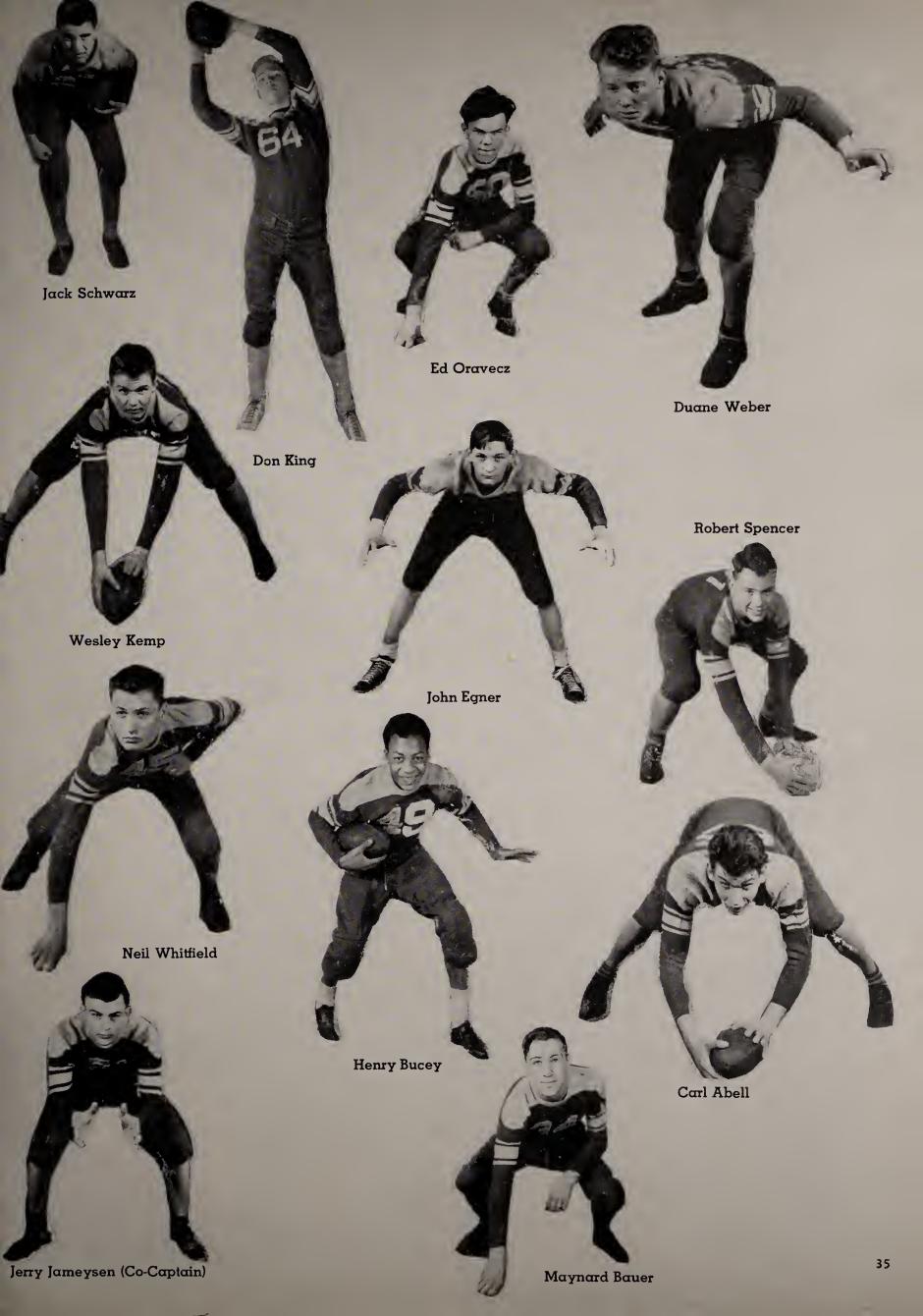
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CHEERLEADERS



SENIOR CHEERLEADERS

Sally Lou Vance
Betty Schultz
Jane Lovejoy
Tresa Gorfido
Marilou Doswell
Jinny Wheeler

JUNIOR CHEERLEADERS

Betty Woodward Elizabeth Poor Helen Garnett Pat Veesart

ACTIVITIES

It might have been that heart-breaking game against Clearview. Perhaps it was the fast-moving basketball game against Lodi. Which ever it was, if you were there, you were certain to have seen those famous cheerleaders of which we are so proud.

At every game under Veteran Tresa, who has spent each of her four high school years cheering for M. H. S., the girls with their enthusiasm kept the spirit of our team and the pep of the spectators high.



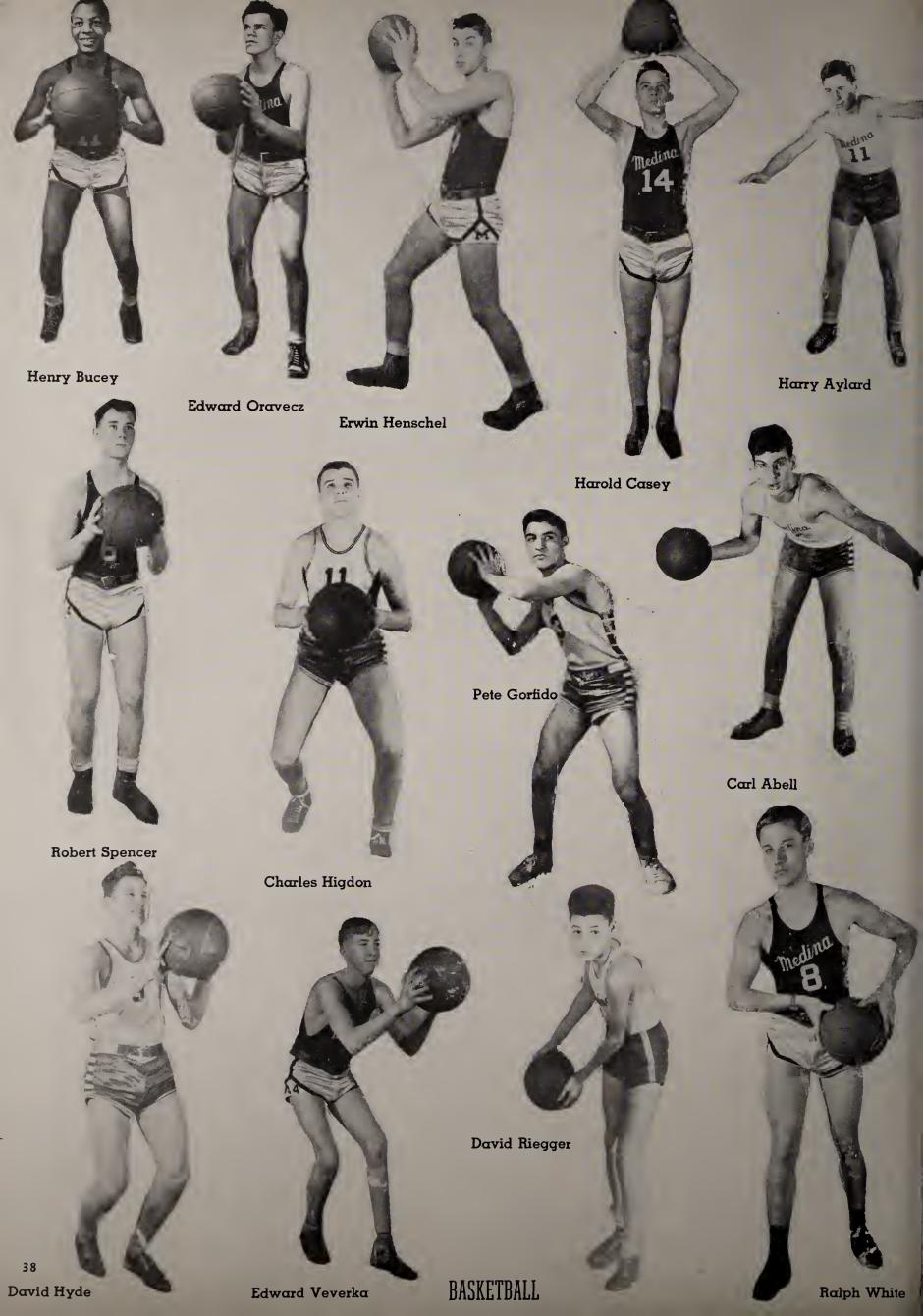
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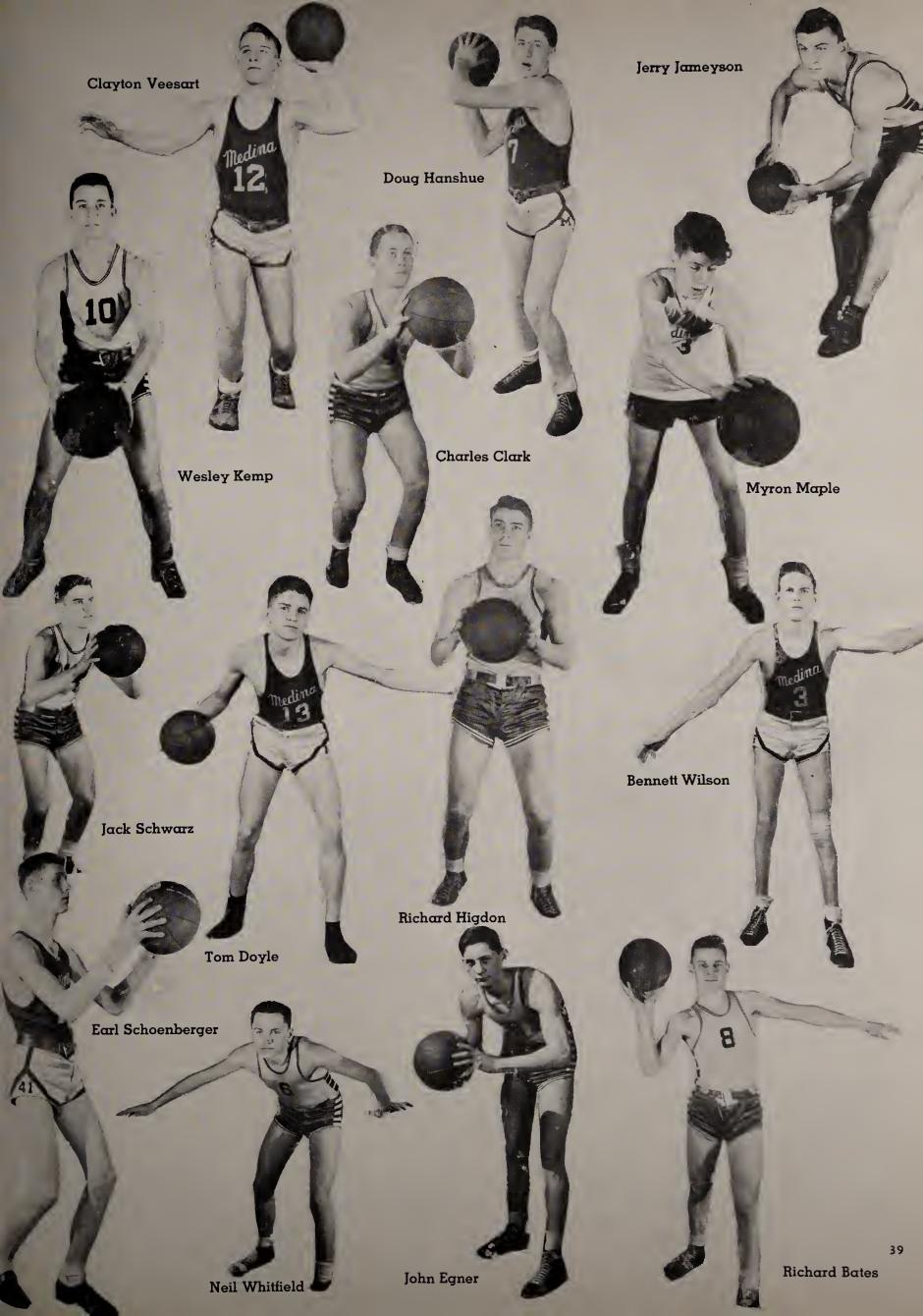
BASKETBALL

	We		We
Spencer25	42	Wellington37	19
Amherst56	15	Lodi29	28
LeRoy24	35	Rittman32	24
Wellington22	30	Vermilion32	26
Spencer31	35	Clearview51	29
Rittman47	34	Wooster24	21
Clearview52	27	New London22	43
LeRoy15	11	Wadsworth49	11
New London23	22	Lodi34	19
Amherst48	23	North Canton.49	27

FOOTBALL

	We
Fairview 0	19
Coventry 6	27
Wooster52	0
New London 0	2
Wellington 0	42
Amherst 0	13
Clearview25	7
Wadsworth19	12





GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION





Officers:

President	Pat Shelton
Vice President	
Secretary	
Treasurer	
Chaplain	

ACTIVITIES

To any girl interested in athletics, the G. A. A. offers unlimited joys of participation.

MEMBERS

Lois Abell Lois Anderson Claribelle Auker Betty Baker Garneta Bond Doreen Cogswell Iean Crombie Virginia Dague Billie Danes Irene Derrick Marilou Doswell Joan Dunn Patricia Dunn Ioyce Evans Rosemary Fisher Helen Garnett Beverly Garver Barbara Gibbs Patricia Gibbs Tresa Gorfido Irene Hardy Patricia Hepner

Marjorie Hickling Patricia Holden Janice Holden Barbara Holland Garvin Hooven Hope Huffman Joy Huffman Ann Indoe Jean Jackson Arlayne Jones Martha Judkins Winifred Judkins Corinne Keefer Marilyn Kenyon Jean Kern Peggy Jo King Sue Kirkham Lois Krause Jane Lovejoy Betty Miller Blanche Minto Mary Pandur

Patricia Patton Rosemary Pierce Eleanor Pritchard Betty Ann Schultz Olive Shaw Patricia Shelton Joy Spies Shirley Sprankle Alice Jean Stefan Zane Talbott Betty Trump Sally Lou Vance Agnes Wagner Sylvia Wagner Janice Waite Betty Wheeler Virginia Wheeler Lois Wertz Ila Williams Clarice Woodruff Barbara Woodward Nancy Wyman

GIRLS' LEADERS CLUB

ACTIVITIES

To the girls with a B average who are able to furnish three recommendations as to good character from their teachers, the G. L. C. offers opportunities of leadership and athletic participation.

Officers:

PresidentTresa Gorfido Vice PresidentPeggy Jo King SecretaryAnn Indoe TreasurerBarbara Gibbs

MEMBERS

Bette Davis
Marilou Doswell
Barbara Gibbs
Patricia Gibbs
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Corinne Keefer
Jean Kern
Peggy Jo King

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Blanche Minto
Patricia Patton
Rosemary Pierce
Olive Shaw
Patricia Shelton
Zane Talbott
Sally Lou Vance
Clarice Woodruff
Barbara Woodward





THE GIRLS WITH THE M's



The letter girls enjoy the sharp competition possible among accomplished athletes.

One such event is the All-Star Games at the end of the basketball season.

All-Star Teams

Peggy Jo King Tresa Gorfido Janice Waite Sally Vance Barbara Woodward Barbara Gibbs Bette Davis II Helen Garnett Marilou Doswell Hope Huffman Martha Miller Betty Miller Jane Lovejoy Pat Shelton Clarice Woodruff



SNAPSHOTS



Hit It, Jerry



Batter Up!



Bench Warmers



Whatcha' Know, Joe?



Hopeful Hadlock



Homer, We Hope!



Watch It, Boys; We See You.

MEDINAMITE



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MEDINIAN



ACTIVITIES

The **Medinian** staff with a few new ideas this **year** set out to make the annual the best ever.

Shortages cramped our staff a bit, but we did manage to put out a larger book with more pictures.

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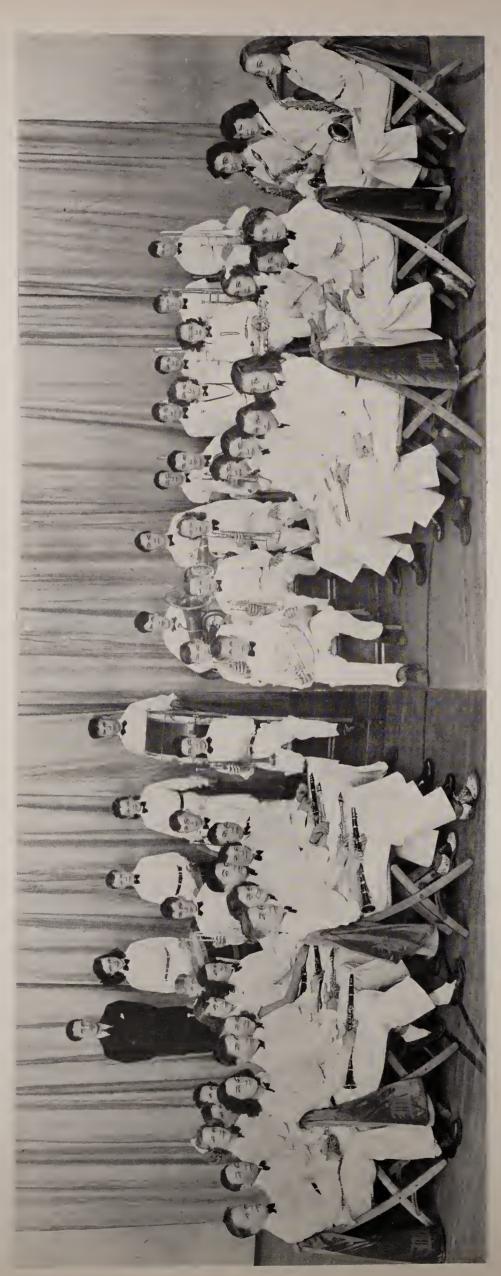
ACTIVITIES

Increased to sixty pieces under the direction of Mr. Paul Wagner, the marching band really strutted its stuff at football games this fall. After the football season, the group was converted to a concert band. As such, the band was able to bring many evenings of enjoyment to the music-loving citizens of Medina.

Besides playing at football games, the band participated in war bond rallies, assembly programs, pep meetings, and gave two concerts, one in the fall and the other in the spring.

Featured as soloists for the band were Harold Holdridge, clarinet; Allan Reinhardt, trombone; George Shaw, trumpet.

JUNIOR BAND



The Junior Band was organized by Mr. Paul T. Wagner to give the new music students experience and practice before entering the high school band.

The Junior Band was introduced to the public at the Annual Spring Concert.

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Any melodious orchestra music heard near Medina High on Monday, Wednesday, or Friday could be traced, immediately, to the music room if you were inclined to "super-sleuth."

There you would find the orchestra diligently perspiring over "The Russian Sailors' Dance" or Beethoven's "Fifth Symphony."

If you are interested further, you might listen to this group of "really cultural" musicians at the Annual Winter Concert or at Commencement.

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SOPRANO

Barbara Gibbs Nancy Nichols Rosemary Pierce Barbara Woodward Nancy Wyman Zane Talbott

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Music has held full sway in the music room as the girls' chorus met alone or with the boys' glee club to form a mixed chorus. The mixed chorus met as a group twice each week industriously to practice for two annual concerts.

This special girls' chorus was organized for the purpose of having a small music group that could play for special programs at the churches, clubs, concerts, and assemblies. Soloist for the group is Barbara Gibbs.



GIRLS' GLEE CLUB



CHOIR SOLOISTS

Peggy Jo King Frances Maple Howard Hunter Neil Whitfield Barbara Gibbs Rosemary Pierce Hope Huffman

"Come on, basses; let's try it again," "You're flat, tenors." "Now, all together." These are all familiar phrases in the music room as Mr. Paul Wagner

directs the boys' glee club on Tuesday the sixth period. The boys' main activity this year was the minstrel show.



BOYS' GLEE CLUB

TENOR

Jack Barry
John Beck
Stanley Bradway
Henry Bucey
James Crombie
Carl Fulling
Donald Gerspacher
Richard Hazen
Bernard Jones
John Keefer
Robert Spencer
Ralph Waite
Duane Weber

BASS

Charles Clark
Fred Chandler
Richard Gensemer
Charles Higdon
Richard Higdon
Howard Hunter
Earl Schoenberger
Jack Schwarz
Clayton Veesart
Neil Whitfield
Bennett Wilson

OTHER MUSIC GROUPS



ACTIVITIES

Well-known around school and widely-appreciated for the excellent work that they do are several musical groups not large in the numbers they contain, but important in the support they give the large organizations of which they are a part.

MAJORETTES

Particularly active during football season, the majorette section of the marching band has, this year, been increased to include ten members. Tall, red-haired Helen Hallock strutted down the gridiron as chief majorette assisted by the four junior majorettes, Virginia Higgins, Jeannette Harrington, Betty Frost, and Carol Spencer at every game.

As a new feature, the three flag-twirlers, Garvin Hooven, Marilyn Kenyon, and Ila Williams were an impressive addition. Last, but certainly not least, from the junior high came Mary Ellen Sailer and Tommy Fisher to twirl batons at each side of our chief majorette.

BAND OFFICERS

President	. Ralph Waite
Business ManagerCon	nie Halderson
SecretaryAl	llan Reinhardt
Treasurer	
Elected by the band to settle band problems c	reates interest
to help in the organization of programs	

HOPE HUFFMAN

Soloist . . . appointed by Mr. Paul Wagner last fall . . . accompanies all music groups . . . Her interest in music has been gratefully appreciated by school and community.

CHORUS OFFICERS

President	
Vice PresidentRosemary Pierce	
Secretary Barbara Giggs	
TreasurerCharles Higdon	
Business ManagerHoward Hunter	

Elected by the chorus members . . . settle chorus problems . . . create interest . . . were influential in getting the music room decorated.

SPANISH CLUB





MEMBERS

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Patricia Hays
Richard Hazen
Bernadean Hellinger
Patricia Hepner
Charles Higdon
Ann Indoe
Corinne Keefer
Marilyn Kenyon
Lucy Ann Lawrance
Jane Lose
Frances Maple
Helen Martin

Faye Roshon
Phyllis Seymour
George Shaw
Joyce Smith
Robert Spencer
Alice Jean Stefan
Jack Schwarz
Betty Tinkey
Sally Lou Vance
Edward Veverka
Agnes Wagner
Ralph Waite
Betty Jane Wheeler

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Vice PresidentCorinne K	eefer
SecretarySally Lou V	ance
TreasurerCharles Hi	gdon

ACTIVITIES

The Spanish Club, newly organized this year under the leadership of Miss Florence Hitzelberger, contains 37 members from Spanish I and II meetings once a month.

The main activity this year was a Pan American assembly, April 14.



STUDENT COUNCIL



Mr. H. G. Spencer, sponsor

Members

Dick Higdon....President of Student Council Corwin Rickard.....Senior Class President Tack Schwarz....Senior Class Representative Myron Maple....Junior Class Representative Tom Doyle. Sophomore Class Representative Garneta Bond.....Freshman Class Representative David Hyde......President of Junior Class Ralph White...President of Sophomore Class Bob Spencer....President of Freshman Class Pat Shelton.....President of G. A. A. Hope Huffman.....President of Senior Girl Reserves Pat Gibbs...President of Junior Girl Reserves Jerry Jameyson.....President of Senior Hi-Y Douglas Hanshue....President of Junior Hi-Y Don Selzer......President of F. F. A. Jane Lose......Medinamite Editor

ACTIVITIES SPONSORED

3rd War LoanSept. 13-30	Building Ground Committee
Fall FrolicNov. 19	Bond Speech ContestJan. 18
Rebuilding of Bond BoothNov. 1	Leap Year DanceFeb. 21
Scrap DriveNov. 3	Super Salesman Bond ContestFeb. 4-18
Paper DriveJan. 11	School DanceApril 14





SENIOR GIRL RESERVES



ACTIVITIES

"To find and give the best" is the aim of all Girl Reserves in Medina High School. In the great adventure of growing into the highest type of individual, each Girl Reserve strives daily to live up to the ideals set before them in the Girl Reserve Code.

During the year 1943-1944, the Senior chapter of the Reserves initiated eighteen girls into their group. The theme of the club is to promote the friendliest possible feeling of helpfulness and kindness to all.

OFFICERS

President	.Hope H	luffman
Vice President		
Secretary		
Treasurer		
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MEMBERS

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ACTIVITIES

The Junior Girl Reserves in their regular monthly meetings emphasized the following six topics important to the building of mind and character in young girls: work, personal relations, problems of social concern, religion, and the arts. Under the leadership of the cabinet the promotion of inter-cultural and inter-racial understanding, international education, Christian values in daily living, boy and girl education and the proper attitude

toward work were stressed.

Social get-togethers featured a Hallowe'en party, a World Fellowship meeting and the making of scrapbooks for the U.S.O.

OFFICERS

President	Patricia Gibbs
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Secretary	Patricia Holden
	Joan Dunn



SENIOR HI-Y



Members

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Harold Holdridge Howard Hunter David Hyde Jerry Jameyson Maynard Johnson Bernard Jones Wesley Kemp Donald King Myron Maple David Riegger Corwin Rickard George Shaw Reade Shook Jack Schwarz Ralph Waite Duane Weber Neil Whitfield

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President......Jerry Jameyson Vice President.....Duane Weber Secretary-Treasurer....Don King Chaplain.....John Burris

ACTIVITIES

To junior and senior boys who wish to "create, maintain, and extend throughout the school and community the high standards of Christian character," the Senior Hi-Y is open.

Stressing the importance of providing recreational activities in war-time, the Sr. Hi-Y has during the year sponsored a number of student parties and dances. In addition the organization edited the football programs.



JUNIOR HI-Y



Officers:

President......Douglas Hanshue Vice President.....Clayton Veesart Secretary-TreasurerHenry Bucey Chaplain.....Bennett Wilson

ACTIVITIES

Closely allied to the Senior Hi-Y, the Junior Hi-Y is an organization similar in principle to its bigger brother.

The club seeks to promote the high standards of living, pleasant and essential to contented young people.

MEMBERS

Maynard Bauer
Henry Bucey
Joe Campbell
Harold Casey
Newton Davis
DeForest Denman
Tom Doyle
Robert Eaken
Carl Fulling
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Richard Gensemer
Norman Gilsdorf
Marvin Hall

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ACTIVITIES

In war time the farmer has a very important job. These boys training to be farmers of the future are fitting themselves to be useful citizens in post war America.

Most important, perhaps, is the need they fill now by helping on Saturdays and holidays farmers stripped of hired help by the draft.

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Sally Davis
Janice Holden
Elizabeth Horvath
Gloria Houston
Frances Maple
Edith Morris
Betty Morse
Lorna Ryan
Anna Sestan
Virginia Wilkey



ACTIVITIES

The "first-aiders" in the F. A. D. have had three years of First Aid, Standard, Advanced and Emergency; meetings come the first and third Mondays of the month.

Officers:

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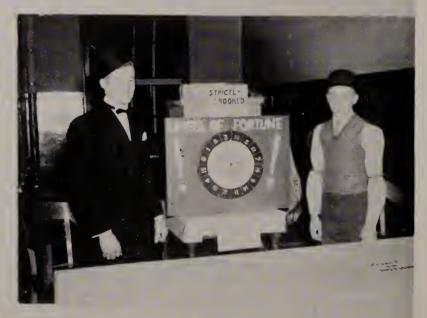
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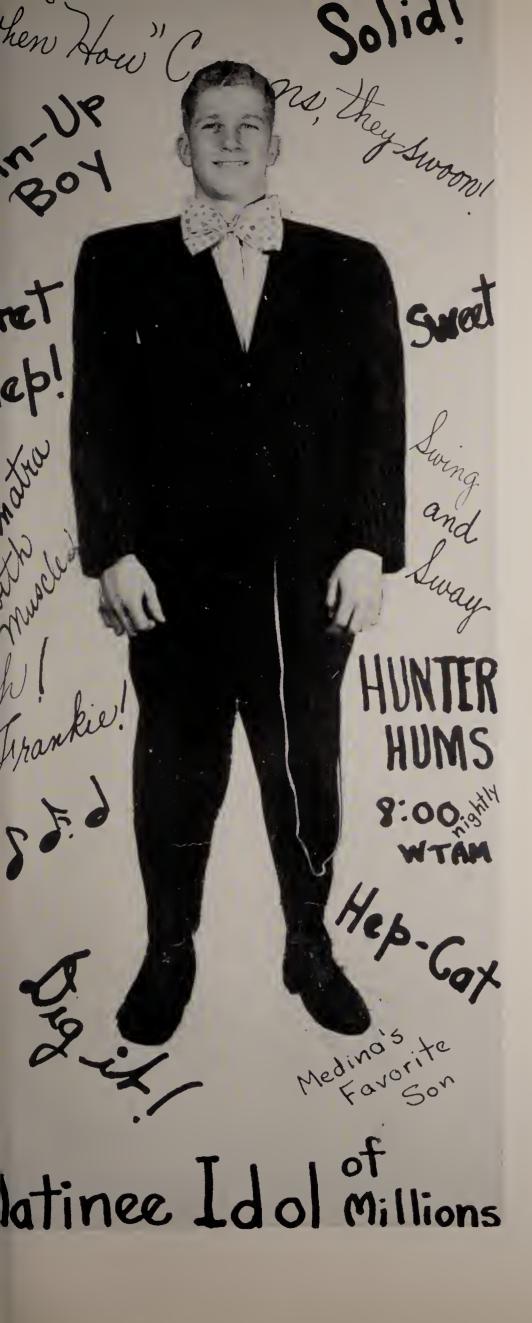
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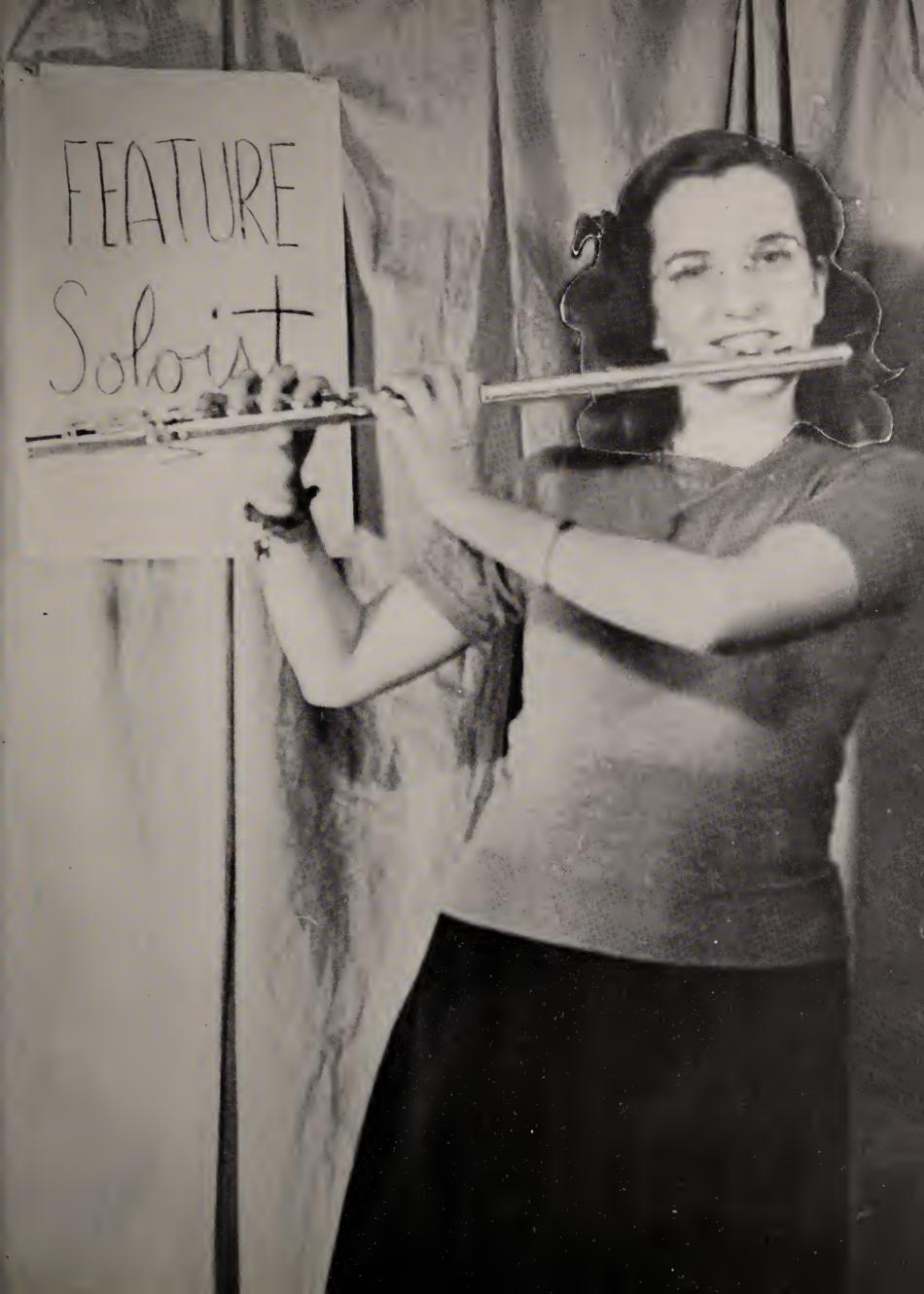


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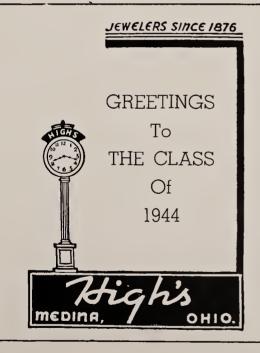
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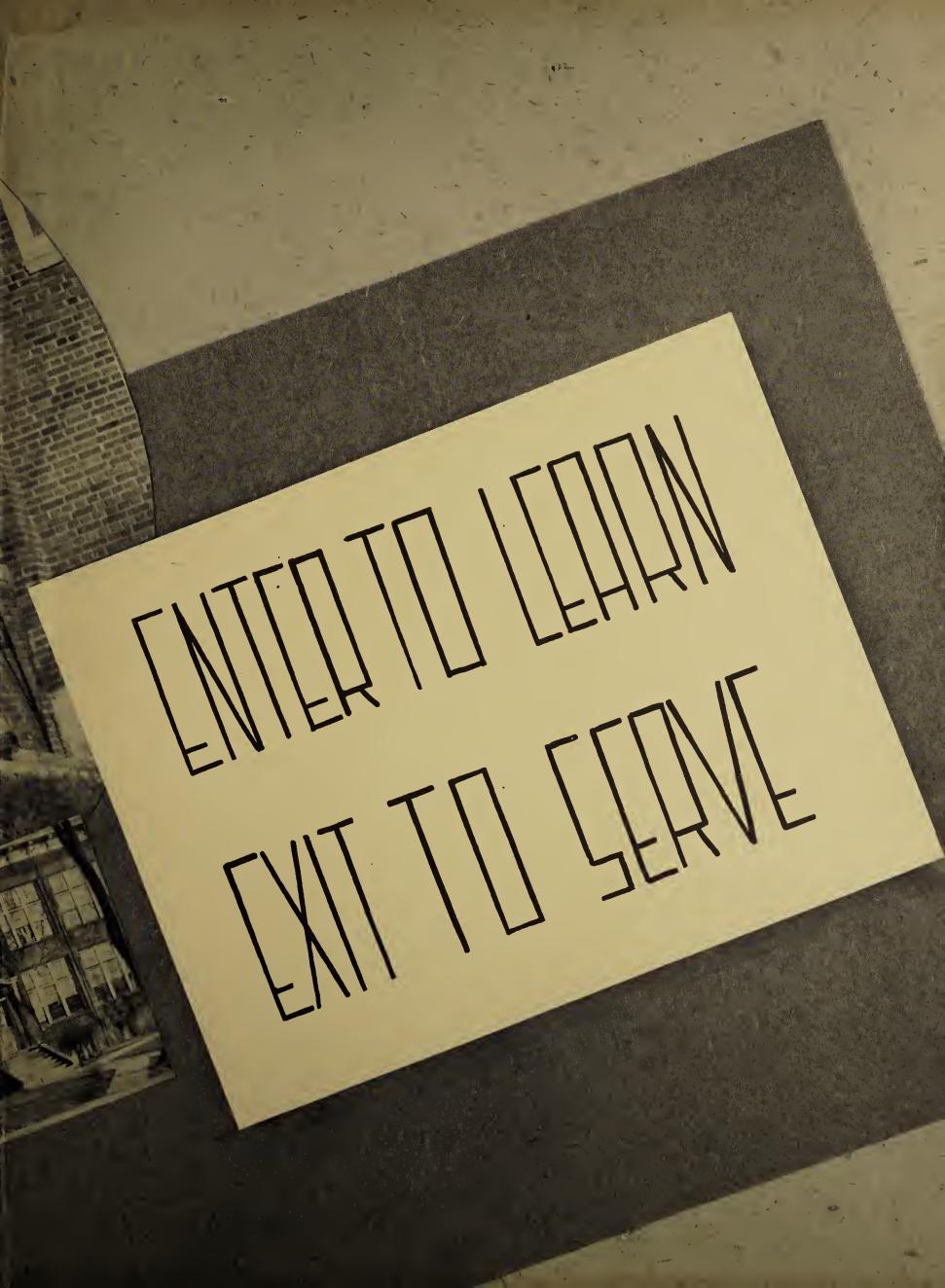
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